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"Serve the Church that the Church May Serve You."

CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH
BLAIRMORE

Rev. E. B. Arrol, B.A., Minister

Services Sunday next:

11:00 a.m., Senior school.
2:00 p.m., Junior school.
7:30 p.m., Public Worship.

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ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE
Rev. J. R. Hague, A.Th., Incumbent

Services Sunday next:

12 Noon, Sunday School.
7:30 p.m., Evensong and sermon.

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SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN
Lieuts. S. Nahmey and R. Hammond,
Officers in charge.

Sunday services:

11:00 a.m., Holiness Meeting.

3:00 p.m., Sunday School.

7:30 p.m., Salvation Meeting.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.

Wednesday: Sunbeam Brownies at 4:30 p.m., Boys' Cub 6 p.m.

Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise Meeting.
BLAIRMORE. Gospel meeting every Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Funerals and dedications on application to the local officer.

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Lieut. W. Marcellin, of the RCAF, was the week's guest in his family at Bellevue.

Rev. Canon Cripps, Anglican clergy of Red Deer, has accepted an appointment in Spokane.

Jack Barlaas, of the RCAF, has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Barlaas, at Bellevue.

Alphonse Feriot is a patient in the local hospital, having suffered severe injuries in the local mine about a week ago.

Red Deer riding is to have a by-election on December 16th, with three candidates in the field: W. J. Edgar, Independent; E. G. Johns, CCF, and D. A. Urs, Social Credit.

Thomas Heap, an old-timer, died at Pincher Creek on Friday last at the age of 72. He is survived by his widow; one son, Thomas; a brother, Sam, in Calgary, and three sisters in England.

Of all the provinces Alberta came second lowest in the sale of War Savings Stamps and Certificates. Alberta does not usually take second place when it comes to putting anything worth while over. It is now being planned to put on some extra promotional work.

Cost of living bonuses for servicemen's dependents will be increased as from December 1st to keep them in line with similar bonuses in industry. The rate will be \$4.12 a month for wives with children, and \$2.20 for wives without children. The previous rates were \$2.60 and \$1.40.

A great piece of luck was reported here on Thursday morning. A party returning from Lethbridge the night previous decided to change car drivers just east of Pincher. In making the transfer, a wallet was dropped, but was not missed till reaching Maple Leaf, near Bellevue. The driver decided to return next morning to where the stop had been made, and found the wallet by the side of the highway, minus most of its contents. The contents, however, were picked up just about one hundred per cent within a very short distance.

LOCAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

At a temperature rally meeting early in the week there was an audience of 33 women and 11 men, including two cravins' images who could not even get a glass of water to cool 'em off.

Approximately one umbrella is now being produced for every hundred people in Great Britain at a cost of about \$17 to \$22. And optimists say it never rains more than 300 days a year.

The Alberta division of the Canadian Red Cross Society is holding letters under names that cannot be located through the post office. Included is one addressed to Mrs. Maria Matej, Blairstown.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church, Blairstown, are holding their Annual Fall Tea and Sale of Home Cooking in the Auditorium from 3 to 6 p.m. tomorrow, Saturday, December 4th. Everybody welcome.

Despite the fact that the authorities urged against campaigning house to house to try sell Christmas greeting cards, we have had outside agents just doing that during the week. No doubt they got a few orders. But why?

During the summer of 1940 men and women in the war plants of Great Britain worked 70 to 90 hours a week. These hours were found to be too much for a long period, and efficiency was reduced when the hours were changed to 50 to 60.

Two hundred and three Danishes in the British service were selected in prize. Their value has been estimated at \$29,900,000. Since the invasion of Denmark they have continued to sail with a large number of their original crews.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found an advertisement of the Beard Electric Co., Calgary, who are in the field to purchase used electric irons. These are to be refitted and sold to the men in the forces at practically cost—and they need them.

Alberta has asked the Dominion government to renew a treasury bill of \$16,192,000 falling due on December 1st. The funds were obtained for general revenue purposes during the period when the province was confronted with unemployment, relief demands.

Fernie miners voted 6 to 1 to accept the commission's proposition. Blairstown miners voted against by 232 to 200. A B.C. paper comments: "The influence of Harvey Murphy still seems to hang over that camp of Blairstown, even though he left there many years ago."

Hon. A. J. Hooke, provincial secretary, announces that paper licenses or stickers, to be affixed to windshields and rear windows, probably will be issued Alberta motorists for the license year starting next April 1st. Paper licenses will be used in place of metal plates.

Magazines Esquire and Vogue have again been fired from the United States post office department for publishing pictures and articles suspected of being close to the borderline. But the publishers of these periodicals have produced some mighty convincing evidence that their publications are as clean as others that get by without any trouble.

Use of stickers on the windshields of Alberta cars in 1944, instead of a single number plate as in 1943, will be discussed at the annual meeting of the Alberta Motor Association in Calgary this week end. Some provinces have already announced the plate. Dangers of counterfeiting and difficulties that might arise in the case of cars being transferred from one owner to another are among the objections to the use of stickers.

ELKS' ANNUAL MEMORIAL SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY

The Blairstown Elks' annual memorial service will be held in the hall on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A splendid service has been arranged and a large attendance is looked forward to. You are invited to come and bring your friends.

HILLCREST HAPPENINGS

Rev. P. Marston occupied the local United church pulpit on Sunday in the interest of the temperature rally.

A mass meeting of miners was held in the Union hall on Friday evening last, when Mrs. Grace Knight, of Edmonton, was the speaker.

Pte. N. Mackie, of Calgary, has arrived home to Hillcrest on miner's leave.

Mrs. A. Thornton returned to Calgary after visiting her daughter here.

J. Semancik, who received injuries at the Blairstown mine, is at present receiving treatment at Banff.

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COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Mrs. James Wilson and small son David were week-end visitors to Lethbridge.

Mrs. Mollie Milvain has returned to Calgary after spending a couple of weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, of Coleman, were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cochran and son Bobby, and Miss Margaret Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Murphy attended the bridge party sponsored by the Eastern Star at Pincher Creek on Wednesday evening.

Many friends and sympathizers

from this district attended the funeral of the late Thomas Heap at Pincher Creek on Monday afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Marston, of Magrath, delivered a very impressive sermon on the evil effects of excessive use of intoxicating beverages, particularly so on our young folk, in the United church here on Sunday morning.

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GUERILLA ARMIES WRITE COLORFUL WAR CHAPTER

News from underground France that "despite the approach of winter, guerrilla positions are being maintained" is no more embroidered than a war communiqué, but, thereby hangs one of the most romantic tales of the present struggle.

The simply-stated fact that guerrilla positions are being held means that nearly 80,000 young Frenchmen are prepared to spend another winter living like beasts in the caves and gorges of their native mountains, hiding by day, and walking at night, when they prowl the countryside in an effort to gather food, clothing, munitions.

Determined not to work for Hitler either in Germany or in the Todt-labor organizations, they have renounced any semblance of normal life until such time as they can return to their homes and families in a free France.

Daily, hourly, they are living the "resistance" which strikes fear into German hearts; daily, hourly, they are gaining strength, building up stores of munitions, undermining the moral and security of the invader.

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James Niven, for forty-three years employed with the CPR as engineer, etc., has retired. He is son of the late Robert Niven, formerly of Frank.

Praise for women workers who have tackled hard jobs came from C. Coleman, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Winnipeg. He said nearly 700 women are working in the yards and round-plate. Dangers of counterfeiting and difficulties that might arise in the case of cars being transferred from one owner to another are among the objections to the use of stickers.

CURLERS READY FOR ACTION; AWAITING ICE CONDITIONS

At a meeting of the Blairstown Curling Club held last week end, Sergt. T. E. Mudiman was elected president; Angelo Fantin, vice-president (re-elected); W. Meier, secretary.

The report of the retiring president, H. Carmichael, was received, showing that the club held a very successful season in 1942-43, with a substantial increase in membership. The secretary's report showed the club to have a small cash balance on hand to start operations.

The district bonspiel will be held in Blairstown this season. Draw system will be same as during the past three seasons; teams to be classified into four divisions, winner in each moving up into next higher division, and loser dropping back. Trophies will be awarded to winners of each division at the end of the season; skips are now busy rustling teams.

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COAL PRICE INCREASED

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—The price board announced Tuesday night that increases ranging from 10 to 65 cents per ton for coal produced in certain areas of Alberta and British Columbia have been authorized by E. J. Brunning, its coal administrator.

(Calgary) coal dealers, acting on the increases today raised their retail prices by the amounts corresponding to the increases granted to the coal operators.

The board said the increased prices are the result of decisions reached by the royal commission which investigated the recent coal mining labour dispute in those areas, and have been determined as directed by the government.

In brief, the commission recommended wage increases of \$1 a day for \$5,000 miners in the Alberta and British Columbia coal fields. The men had been on strike for increases of \$2 a day.

The increases are subject to review at any time, but the order stipulates they must be reviewed not later than March 31, 1944.

Members of the Western Canada Bituminous Coal Miners' Association may raise their prices by 50 cents per ton for coal shipped from December 1st to March 31st, 1944, inclusive. The increase after April 1st will be 40 cents instead of 50 cents, or such other amount as may be authorized after investigation.

Members of the Drumheller Coal Operators' Association may increase their prices by 65 cents a ton for lump and egg coal shipped between December 1st and March 31st, and after that date the increase will be 50 cents.

The price of stoker, nut and nut slack coal may be increased by 25 cents per ton in shipments after December 1st, and on slack coal the increase will be 10 cents per ton.

The board's announcement said coal dealers are entitled to the increases actually charged them, but not to any additional mark-up.

Coal miners of Alberta and British Columbia, other than those mentioned in the order, may apply for increases to the coal administrator for assistance on or before December 31st. They must give all information required by the administrator.

If the administrator decides an increase is required, he may designate the operators affected and the additional amounts which they may charge on deliveries of their coal.

The board said all operators authorized to increase the selling price of coal must forward financial and operating statements to the administrator promptly.

A total of 240 soldiers, sailors, airmen and members of the women's services, in the armed forces from Natal-Michel and district will once again receive the glad Yuletide greetings through Michel Local No. 7292. Secretary Simon Weaver reports that each and every member of the force from the district will receive \$5, with the Michel Local donating a sum well over \$1,000. A number of these are serving overseas, while the remainder are serving in Canada. One is serving in Kiska and one in Bermuda.

LOCAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. H. Zak received word the early part of the week that their son Joe had reached Toronto, where he will rest a while before proceeding home for Christmas.

Druigists of Capada sold \$650,813 worth of War Savings Stamps during the month of September. The objective was \$300,000, and so 217 per cent of the objective was obtained. Alberta raised \$32,088.

Petty Officer M. J. Davies, nephew of Jack Davies, of Blairstown, who is a member of the crew of H.M.C.S. Blairstown, addressed an audience at the Orpheum theatre on Wednesday night, and was much enjoyed.

Finance Minister Ilsey said over the week end that the recent settlement of the coal strike in Alberta and British Columbia will result in an increase in the price of coal to all users of coal produced in the area.

Miss Thelma Pinkney returned to Calgary on Sunday to resume her duties at No. 4 Training Command, after spending a month's leave of absence with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pinkney, and recuperating from an operation.

More than forty-two million dollars have been spent on national parks development and maintenance in Canada since the first park was set aside in 1885. This figure does not, of course, include the value of the land dedicated to the people of Canada for use as national playgrounds.

Another hunter had to shoot it. He should have sang that song: "Put That Rifle Down, Deer, Put That Rifle Down." Stavely Advertiser.

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A carload of Southern Alberta-made blankets has been shipped direct to Moscow under the Russian War Relief Fund arrangement.

SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTION OFFERS

The Enterprise has the agency for and offers the following papers and magazines at the following rates:

American Advertiser, one year	\$2.00
Free Press, one year	\$1.50
American Home Magazine, 1 year	1.50
American Magazine, one year	3.00
American Mercury, one year	3.50
Better Home & Homemaking, yr. 3.50	3.50
Better Home & Homemaking, yr. 1.50	1.50
Canadian Home & Gardens, 1 year	1.00
Canadian Horticulture & Home	
Two years	
Canadian Magazine, one year	1.00
Child Life, one year	2.75
Children's Activities (10 nos) yr	3.50
Christian Herald, one year	2.50
Collier's Weekly, one year	3.00
Country Gentleman, 50c, 8 yrs	3.00
Canadian Geographer, one year	1.00
Canadian Geographer, 2 years	1.00
Canadian Poultryman, two years	1.00
Canadian Silver Fox & Fur, 1 year	1.00
Canadian Magazine, one year	1.00
Commodities, one year	1.50
Country Gentleman, two years	1.00
Canadian Farmer (Ukrainian)	
Weekly, one year	2.00
Collier's Red Book, one year	3.00
Der Northwestern (weekly) 1 yr	2.00
Esquire Magazine, one year	5.50
Etude, one year	1.25
Fact Digest, one year	1.50
Family Herald & Weekly Star, three years	2.00
Free Press, Prairie Farmer, 1 yr	1.00
Flower Grower, one year	2.00
Good Housekeeping, one year	3.50
Home and Garden, one year	1.50
Ladies' Home Journal, one year	1.50
Liberty, one year	2.00
Look, one year	3.00
Life, one year	5.50
Life's Interest, one year	1.00
Maclean's Magazine, one year	1.00
McCall's Magazine, one year	1.50
Nature Magazine, one year	3.00
NewswEEK, one year	5.00
Newsweek, monthly, 1 year	1.00
New World, one year	1.00
Open Road (for boys) one year	1.50
Parents' Magazine, one year	2.50
Photoplay—Movie Mirror, 1 year	1.50
Popular Science, one year	3.00
Saturday Evening Post, one year	5.00
Saturday Night, one year	3.00
Science Digest, one year	3.50
Screenland, one year	2.00
Silver Screen, one year	2.00
Science & Discovery, one year	1.50
Sports Afield, one year	1.50
True Story Magazine, one year	1.50
Travel, one year	4.50
Western Story, one year	5.00
Women's Home Companion, 1 year	1.00
Your Life, one year	3.50
Reader's Digest, one year	3.00
Red Book, one year	1.00
Science & Discovery, monthly, 1 year	2.50
The Blairmore Enterprise, 1 year	2.00

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The Importance Of Research

"SECRET WEAPONS" have attracted attention from time to time as they have figured either as threatened or real obstacles to the progress of the war. When one has been produced by the enemy, we have taken immediate action to discover means of destroying its effectiveness, and in this part of the war, the work of scientists and engineers has been important, but has necessarily received very little publicity. In the same manner, the secret weapons discovered here bring no favor of the present moment to those who have worked to perfect them. It is generally realized, however, that scientific research is playing an important part in the winning of the war, and its results for post-war reconstruction. This war is being fought for the preservation of the freedom, as set down by Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt in the Atlantic Charter, but we are told that scientists are carrying on a fight for many thousands of freedoms, all of which are connected with the security and well-being of mankind.

New Ways Of Saving Life

War is necessarily associated in our thoughts with death and destruction, but while hostilities are going on, scientists are continually seeking means of preserving life, of finding new uses for old materials, and of creating new and useful substances. We are told that the efforts made at this time to find ways of fighting disease and of saving human life, will result in benefits which will greatly outweigh the terrible losses which the war entails. Because of the widespread nature of the present conflict, and the great numbers of lives which are involved, medical science has been mobilized as never before to combat suffering and disease. Many new and wonderful developments have taken place in this field, which are of great benefit now and will be of lasting value in the realm of medicine. Related to this is the intense study of new ways which has been undertaken at this time. The results of this work, done primarily to increase human efficiency in time of war, will likewise give us much new and useful knowledge which will be of no less value when peace is restored.

Many Uses For Farm Products

Much has been written of the many new materials which are now used entirely for fighting equipment, but which will be available to the civilian population after the war. This is true also of new and important mechanical developments. In the search for new materials, farm products are playing an important part and it is said that in the future there is likely to be an unprecedented demand for them in industry. Much research has already been done in this field and uses have been found for the processed form of many farm products. This is a subject of interest to the people of Western Canada, where a widespread demand for agricultural products for industrial purposes could open up many possibilities. Considerable research has been done in this connection and it is frequently urged that this be encouraged and expanded. Scientific research has in the past been responsible for great improvements in living conditions and it is possible that it may be instrumental in opening up a new era of prosperity in this part of Canada.



New Nazi Decree

Permits The Death Penalty For Young Children

The Swedish newspaper Arton Tidningen said it had learned that a new German decree permits the death penalty for children as young as 12 years.

A law of 1939 stipulated that only youths more than 16 could be executed by court order but the new decree, the newspaper said, declared children are maturing faster.

A TRUE SYMBOL

The question of whether to straighten the sword in the hand of Richard the Lion-Hearted, in the equestrian statue in the Palace Yard of Westminster, bent by a bomb fragment during the blitz, has brought the understandable suggestion that a sword, bent but not broken, is truly symbolic of what Great Britain went through in her darkest days of the war and should be left as it is.

Although E is the most frequently used letter in the alphabet, more words start with S than any other.



Do your worries often keep you awake at night? And does this restlessness continue into the next day? Noise, anxiety, overdoing things or working under pressure can affect your nerves... may make you sleepless, cause tension, even nervous headache or nervous fear.

Dr. Miles Nervine helps relieve nervous tension because it is a mild sedative. Take it as directed to help calm your nerves and to improve your sleep. Effervescent Nervine Tablets are 35c and 75c. Nervine Liquid is 25c and \$1.00.

DR. MILES NERVINE

In Special Branch

Colored Maid Knew Where Son Was In The Army

A woman we know has a colored maid and between them there is a bond, since both have sons in the army.

"What branch of the service is your son in, Emma?" asked the employer.

Emma seemed a trifle vague. "What you mean, branch, ma'am?" Her mistress explained. "Is he in the infantry, the artillery, the engineers, the cavalry or what?"

Emma brightened. "No, ma'am, Sir, she ain't in nothin' like that. He's in the corporals."

SMILE AWHILE

"Father" said little Frank as he turned the pages of his history book, "how did the cold history keep warm in the winter time?"

"Why, I guess they used the mountain ranges. Now don't ask any more foolish questions."

After a very thorough examination, the army doctor eyed the tall and very thin recruit in silence.

"Well, doctor," said the recruit at last, "how do I stand?"

"Goodness knows," replied the M.O. "It's a miracle!"

"Do you mean to say your husband beat you when you arrived home after midnight?"

Yes—but not by 20 minutes!"

Wife (reading from paper)—

Here's an old hen they've found with two hearts.

Husband—Yea! Well, I played bridge with her the other night.

Young Bill—Look at your old worn boots, and your father a shoemaker. You ought to be ashamed of them.

Young Phil—That's nothing. Your baby brother's got only one tooth and your father's a dentist.

"Why do you call this an enthusiastic step?"

"The cook put everything he had into it."

Barber—Will you have something on your face after I finish shaving you?

Customer—I doubt it.

Fair Customer—Has this car all the modern improvements?

Salesman—Everything, madam, but a beautiful omnibus.

If you do not believe in Providence, watch the average lady driver and try to figure out what else saves her.

Dunno what to give to my wife for her birthday?"

"Ask her."

"Great Scott, I can't afford that!"



It's no loss-up THIS XMAS



everybody goes for
Ogden's



Healing The Sick

Party From A British Cruiser Copes With Epidemic In Arabs

Recently, a medical party from a British cruiser was put ashore at a town in southeastern Arabia to cope with an epidemic of small-pox. During the party's first day ashore, 3,095 people were vaccinated, and a temporary hospital was built.

The doctor and his assistants treated a diseased child in order to save the sight of the other eye. Soon afterwards, a group of blind men appeared and asked to have their sight restored in a similar way. The surgeon told them that Allah alone could cure the blind, and the Arabs departed satisfied.

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Experts Have Made Study Of Food Problems

OTTAWA.—The international conference on food consumption levels, attended by statistical and food experts from Britain, the United States and Canada, has concluded several weeks of study here. It was announced by H. F. Angus of the economic affairs department, the chairman.

The conference report, after further studies by some of its committees, will be submitted to the combined food board at Washington.

The object of the session was to reach an accurate basis for comparing the food consumption levels of different nations having different customs, different types of production and different methods of distribution with a view to assisting in allocation of food supplies by the board during the war and post-war periods.

"It is, therefore, hoped that a basis has been prepared for continuing work which will have considerable influence on projects of social security after the war as well as for policy during the war," said a statement from the conference.

Following the statement said, replaced the former rough-and-ready method of comparisons between official ration allowances, which had the fault of not taking into account the amount of unrationed food consumed and the amount of rationed foods eaten in public places.

The method chosen was to estimate the whole food supply available to the country. But such estimates presented difficulties in taking into account home-consumed dairy and game and food produced in victory and other home gardens which never appears in public statistics.

The total food supply before being used for comparison was translated into its equivalent in calories and vitamins and allowances were made for inefficiency and waste in consumption and distribution.

The attractiveness of the food and the manner in which it was presented were also taken into account for the comparisons, noted the view that with a monotonous diet people tend to eat less than enough and if the diet is particularly attractive waste results from excessive consumption by some persons.

GIANT BIRDS

Whooping Cranes Reported In Several Points In Western Canada

WINNIPEG.—Whooping cranes, the flying fortresses of North American bird life, have been reported in several parts of western Canada and it is believed there are enough of them to save their species from extinction.

Jack Wilson, of Winnipeg, a bird bander for Ducks Unlimited, said eight of the giant birds have been reported on the company's project at Last Mountain lake near Simpson, Sask. Authorities believe no more than 100 of the birds are in existence today.

GRANTED. ENTRY

Girl Stowaway In Lancaster Bomber Will Stay In Canada

OTTAWA.—Margaret Drury, 24-year-old Lancashire girl and first east-to-west Atlantic air stowaway, has been granted entry to Canada for six months to work with the R.A.F. transport command.

The announcement, made by A. L. Jolliffe, commissioner of immigration, said Miss Drury has expressed a wish to accept such employment. Her case will be reviewed again at the end of the six-month period.

DEVASTATED CITIES

Graphic Description Of Havoc Wrought In Germany

BERNE.—A German woman who lives in Switzerland, gave a graphic description of a journey through devastated cities of western Germany, telling of women who broke into tears at the sight of the ruins and of pale men who muttered bitterly that they had had enough.

The story was told in the Berne weekly, *Die Nation*.

"The horror begins at Mannheim, Ludwigshafen and Mainz—the right and left of the railroad line are ruins, terrible ruins," it quoted the woman as saying.

"A woman opposite me suddenly burst into tears. She had been in the Black forest several weeks after she was bombed out, but the sight of the ruins brought back the horror."

"A man opposite me said 'I am from Cologne. You must see Cologne—it will be destroyed.'

"We arrived at Cologne in rain and darkness. We tried to telephone, but all the booths were destroyed. I saw brave men go white and shaking to air raid shelters, taking their most valued possessions in small suitcases."

"Clouds of smoke, pitiful ruins, heaps of rubble, and stench—that was Cologne. Beautiful churches were destroyed. The cathedral was damaged, but the spires were still standing."

"At the railroad station the first and second platforms were a pile of ruins. A trip through Cologne was a penance . . . the old city was a heap of rubble."

"Days after the heavy raids, clouds of smoke lay over the city and shut out the sun. Gas fumes and decaying corpses purified the air. Even now Cologne stinks with fumes and fifth."

Russian Pilots Fly Planes From Base In Alaska

EDMONTON.—Russian women pilots have played and are playing a prominent role in the United Nations lease-lend scheme by piloting planes from Alaska to the Russian front after they have been down to the far north from United States factories.

While not all the pilots are women, they have been acting as ferry pilots for the Russian government after the U.S. manufactured military aircraft are turned over to the Russians for combat duty against the Germans on the war front.

Planes bearing the Soviet insignia, a plain red star, have been seen by Albertans in Edmonton and along the Alaska highway for some time. They are down via Edmonton and the string of Alaska highway airports to Fairbanks where the Russians take them over.

None of the Russian women pilots has been seen on Edmonton streets although Russian male pilots have been seen in public places here. On occasions they have attended sports events. Three Russian male pilots witnessed the Castillion-Lust fight when the eastern airmen defeated the soldier and on another occasion took in a baseball game here. They received an ovation from the spectators on each occasion.

Existence of a northwestern Canadian air ferry route from the United States to Russia was disclosed in Washington by Robert F. Patterson, United States under-secretary of war.

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Admiral Of Fleet



The man who led the successful hunt that ended in the sinking of the German battleship Bismarck, Admiral Sir John Cronyn Tovey (above), has been appointed admiral of the fleet, it was announced at the British admiralty, London.

MANY HONORED

Decorations Confered On One Hundred And Twelve Canadians At Rideau Hall

OTTAWA.—The government recently conferred previously announced decorations on 112 persons at Rideau Hall.

Senior officers of the armed services, high-ranking executives in munition production, scientists who have accomplished things in research which are still deep official secrets, sailors and airmen who have shown bravery in the face of the enemy, veteran civil servants and leaders in philanthropy, agriculture and educational fields were among those who stepped before His Excellency as their names were called.

A number of women were included in those honored.

Most of the awards were announced in the King's birthday honors list last June.

REFUSES INFORMATION

BRUSSELS.—Prime Minister De Valera refused in the Dail to give the number of belligerent planes which had crashed in Eire since the start of the war.

TRAFFIC ON TRANS-CANADA AIR LINES, passenger, mail and express, increased one hundred per cent. in two years.

Allied Chiefs Meet In Conference



Present at a conference of Allied chiefs of staff in North Africa were these ranking men on land, on sea and in the air. Left to right, Admiral Sir John Cunningham, commander-in-chief of the Allied fleet in the Mediterranean; General Dwight D. Eisenhower, commander-in-chief of Allied forces in that theatre, and Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Tedder.

NEW SESSION

The King Reviews War At Opening Of British Parliament

LONDON.—The King opened a new session of parliament—the ninth since the present House of Commons was elected in 1940—delivering the speech from the throne which confidently said: "In the fourth year of the war the forces of the United Nations have assumed the offensive in all theatres of war . . . and in the coming year we shall with God's help be able to bring to bear upon the enemy a still greater weight of attack."

The King, wearing the uniform of admiral of the fleet, was accompanied by the Queen as he personally opened the new session of parliament. At the same time it was disclosed, that the prorogation speech of the old session was read.

Reviewing the Allies' forward stride during the last year, the speech read:

"The enemy has been cast out of Africa; freedom has been brought to Sicily, Sardinia and Corsica, and in Italy our forces and those of our American allies are closing in upon the enemy on the mainland of Europe."

"With the growing help of our Great American ally and together with the other United Nations we shall go forward with confidence in our cause until we have delivered the people of the world from fear of the aggressor," the speech said.

Of Russia, it said:

"On his eastern front the enemy has given ground before the massive, unrelenting advance of the Russian armies, whose magnificent achievements we have watched with ever-deepening admiration."

Turning to the conquered nations of Europe, the speech declared that they "are now preparing to throw off the yoke of the oppressor and we shall continue to afford them such help and encouragement as lies in our power."

The opening ceremony was held in the King's robes in the room in which the House of Lords has met since the House of Commons chamber was demolished by German bombs in 1941. Commons, which by ancient privilege the King may never visit, now meets in the original House of Lords chamber.

MANAGER OF MUNITION WORKS

NEW YORK.—The German-controlled Czech radio reported that Vlastav Bens, 59-year-old manager of the Skoda munitions works, had died in Prague.

GRIM SATISFACTION

How People Of London View The Destruction Of Berlin

LONDON.—There is a feeling of grim satisfaction among Londoners who took the thundering bombardment the Nazis gloatingly delivered through the black winter and spring of 1940-41, that Berlin now is getting it back many-fold.

But although hatred runs deep for the Germans who blasted, burned and broke businesses, homes, bodies and lives of hundreds of thousands of British people, the Londoners feel rather sorry for them. At the same time, they accept the necessity for grinding the Nazi capital and its leaders into dust. The Germans asked for it, is the general unemotional reaction.

The great raids are taken in character as British tactics as a glorified, respectable part of the methodical campaign to beat the Germans. There is little under optimism about its bringing a sudden German collapse.

Tempering all thoughts is the recognition that London's turn may come again at any time. While the Germans are short of bombs in the west, nobody is so foolish as not to recognize they might quickly assemble a sufficient force from other fronts to give London a 500-plane raid.

There is a divergence of opinion among ground force leaders on the airman's chances to shatter Germany sufficiently to bring surrender, but those who think first in terms of land battles seem agreed that:

1. If such an economical victory is won it must be won by smashing the German will to fight and not by physical destruction of the means to make war, because the latter cannot become great enough to break the German army in the time remaining before the invasion deadline.

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"Unless that will to fight were broken, it would not have any decisive effect even if Berlin were bombed so badly it had to be abandoned."

"There would be dislocations of records and communications, of course. Men's pay and pensions and promotions might get mixed up, but it wouldn't paralyze operations, particularly since the German high command must have made extensive preparations to meet just such an emergency."

CANNOT DEPEND ON BOMBING FOR FINAL VICTORY

LONDON.—The bomber's show-down bid for our and cut victory in the battle of Berlin found ground officers pulling as hard as anyone for the world's first major victory through air power—but these men who must plan and lead an invasion from the west are keeping their fingers firmly crossed.

"Bombing plus Britain's magnificent victories may crush Germany before any great battle in the west," said one highly-ranking American officer. "But it would be criminal if these hopes led me to relax for one moment on the job that's been given to me in preparing for invasion, and it would be tragic if they led to any further over-confidence on the home front."

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EXPENDITURE LOW

In Connection With Sale Of Fifth Victory Loan Bonds

OTTAWA.—Finance Minister Isley said he has "very good expectations" that the cost of selling Fifth Victory loan bonds will not exceed 87 cents for each \$100 of the loan issued.

This figure compares with about 90 cents for the Fourth Victory loan last spring, and an average of about \$1 for each \$100 worth of bonds sold in all five victory loans. The \$1 includes "all expenditures for preparation and delivery of the bonds, advertising and publicity, salesmen's commissions and all payments to financial firms and institutions, organization expenses, etc."

NEEDED AFTER WAR

TORONTO.—Lord Wootton, Britain's food minister, has said that shipments of powdered milk sent overseas by Canadian Kinsmen's clubs, be continued after the war, a club spokesman said here. It would be directed, in the reconstruction period, to hungry peoples of Europe.

The average Lapp family requires 100 reindeer for its maintenance.

DUKE OF GLOUCESTER NAMED AUSTRALIA'S GOVERNOR-GENERAL



The residence of the governor-general of Australia at Canberra, which will be occupied by their royal highness the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester next July. The duke has just been appointed governor-general of the commonwealth and succeeds Lord Gowrie, the present occupant.



The Duke of Gloucester, youngest surviving brother of the King.

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THE GENEROUS MR. HANSELL

The following from the pen of Another Nut in the Calgary Herald is well worthy of reproduction:

I trust the people of Alberta listened to the speech of the Rev. Mr. Hansell, Social Credit M.P., delivered last Thursday over CFCN. It was constructive, invigorating, stimulating and exhilarating. "I do not know of any more "atings" so we will have to let it go at that. It was a masterpiece. Our present prime minister could not have done any better.

I am sure Mr. Roper and Mr. Coldwell are quaking in their political shoes, and serve them right. It would have been far better if they had been content to sit at the feet of Mr. Hansell and absorb Social Credit wisdom, and I am sure the men who framed the Atlantic Charter are rubbing the dust from their eyes so they can see clearer the Utopian vision of Mr. Hansell.

According to Mr. Hansell we are to have free medical care and attention, and as they are going to extend our mental institutions we will be assured of free lodgings. All of us are going to have our own houses to live in, but he did not say if we would have to pay taxes. After all that he has promised I am sure we will not have to pay taxes.

One thing that interested me, more than any other, was the fact that every person over the age of 60 years would be paid a pension of \$50 per month. As I am well over this age I am wondering if the payment of this \$50 would be retroactive. He did not say anything about this, but I am sure it will be as the government will have loads of money to spend.

According to Mr. Hansell, we will build fewer battleships. We have never built any battleships, but this doesn't matter, we can still build fewer, and the money we never spent in building battle ships will be used to pay old-age pensions.

There is just one other thing the writer would like and that is a free automobile supplied with free oil and gas. Like many other poor people I never did own an automobile, and probably the only way I will own one

is for the government to issue them free, just like the ration books. I cannot see why the Social Credit government, when they shift their headquarters to Ottawa, cannot distribute a few million automobiles to the poor and needy. I know they are sincere, honest and generous, and if we bring this to their attention before the next election, I am sure they will not overlook this small item of free automobiles. The issuing of free oil and gas may be a harder problem to solve. As the government at Edmonton has issued leases and reservations on nearly all of the potential oil lands in the province to American oil monopolists, we may have to forego this free oil and gas.

A small shack near the Sartoris mill, west of Blairmore, was destroyed by fire last night.

President and Madame Chiang Kai-Shek have returned to Chungking from the North Africa conference of war leaders.

Alberta's coal production in the first ten months of 1943 totalled 6,447,673 tons, an increase of 206,838 tons over the corresponding period of 1942.

It is just too bad that the average temperance lecturer does not really know what he is talking about. Just place him beside the average inside mineworker for a day or two and he would change his opinion a whole lot. This is not confidential.

The Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company has contracted for the erection of eighteen new residences at Cranbrook to help relieve the housing shortage. The Bennett & White Construction Company of Calgary are the successful bidders.



A. E. POWLEY

is CBC's news chief in London. In association with fourteen other Canadians, English and French-speaking, he is part of the organization which is charged with bringing the news of Canadian men and women on active service to the radio listeners of Canada. Mr. Powley was former head of the CBC central newsroom at Toronto, but he is no stranger to the British capital; he was born there in 1901.

Sweet Young Thing: "What shall I do? I am engaged to a man who just simply cannot bear children."

Kindly Old Lady: "Well, you must not expect too much of a husband."

Father: "So you love my daughter?"

Sister: "Love her? Why, I would die for her. For one soft glance from her sweet eyes I would hurl myself off a lofty cliff, glad of the chance to sacrifice myself in her name."

Father: "Well, I forbid the marriage. I'm something of a liar myself and one is enough in a small family like ours."

Why Leaves Turn Red

The class was having a lesson in botany, and the little dears sat with open mouths drinking in the words of their teacher. She explained to them exactly when and why leaves change their color, and all the children nodded their heads with great intelligence. "Now," she asked the class as the lesson drew to an end, "when do leaves turn red?"

"In the autumn," came the reply in chorus.

"And why do leaves turn red in the autumn?" she pursued.

There was silence for a time, and then a small voice was heard from the back: "Please, Miss, they're blushing to think how green they've been all summer."

Prime Minister Churchill celebrated his 69th birthday on Tuesday. He was working as usual.

Emile Pelletier passed away at Pincher Creek on Saturday at the ripe age of 86. He came to Alberta thirty-four years ago.

FS Charles Notley Wright, son of Rev. J. L. Wright, of Vulcan and formerly of Pincher Creek and Bellevue, is reported missing on active service after air operations.

Eric Hornquist was down from Kimberley this week to attend the marriage of his sister, Alice, to Lieut. Alex Penman, which took place last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pinkney.

Well, we know now that the next Dominion general election isn't going to be just another election. We know that, if the CCF wins, we are going to have national socialism. Mr. Winchell said so and Mr. Coldwell confirms it. Freedom as we know it will go out the winner if that happens. —Lethbridge Herald.

Lady: "I was quite outspoken at form and feeling very patriotic, sold the bridge club today."

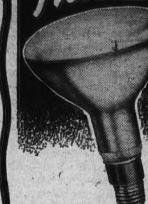
Husband: "I can't believe it. Who outspoke you?"

"V"

An English society matron, visiting a fram in her new WAAF uniform, spat and replied: "Because, men, there ain't no milk at that end."

The farmer took a straw out of his mouth, spat and replied: "Because, men, there ain't no milk at that end."

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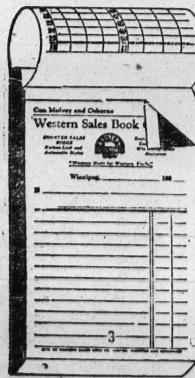
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Sambo: "No, sah, Judge, she licked me this time."

"V"

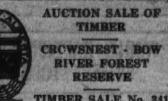
A Scotzman and his wife persuaded a pilot to take them for a ride in his plane. The pilot told them there would be no charge if they kept absolutely quiet throughout the whole trip. Well, the pilot took them up and torrid, the masculines to demand lots of fancy loops and they never perate and intemperate."

"Not very," said the Scotzman, "but you almost had me when my wife fell out."

"V"

Teacher: "Junior, what are the two genders?"

Junior: "Masculine and feminine. The feminines are divided into frigid trip. Well, the pilot took them up and torrid, the masculines to demand lots of fancy loops and they never perate and intemperate."



TIMBER SALE No. 31
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W. of Section 31, Township 4, Range 2 Section 29 and 36, Township 4, Range 4, Section 6 and part portion of Section 1, outlying the limits of License Timber Birth No. 80 in Township 5, Range 3; $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ N.E. of Section 1, E $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 12, Township 6, Range 4, 10 W. of the 5th Meridian, in an area of 575 square miles, more or less.

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The sale will be offered at an upset price of 1.5¢ per linear foot for fire killed mine timber five inches up to but not including nine inches in the butt. On all other products due shall be payable at the rates prescribed by the Forest Reserve Regulations with the exception of fire-killed savagons on which the rates shall be paid at the rate of \$1.50 less per thousand feet board measure than the rate prescribed by the Regulations.

The purchaser will be allowed until May 1st, 1944, to cut and remove all timber covered by the Conditions of Sale.

Each bidder will be required to deposit with the officer conducting the sale the sum of \$1,000.00 in bank draft or accepted cheque on a chartered bank in Canada or by certified treasury branch order cheque or certified non-negotiable transfer voucher payable to the Provincial Treasurer before being allowed to bid. Agents will be required to file letters of authorization from their principals before bidding. The deposits of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned to them on the conclusion of the sale and that of the purchaser held as a deposit to guarantee compliance with the terms and conditions of sale.

Full particulars may be obtained from the Forest Superintendent, 128 - 7th Avenue, West, Calgary, Alberta, or the Director of Forestry, Edmonton, Alberta.

T. F. BLEFGEN,
Director of Forestry,
Department of Lands and Mines,
Edmonton, Alberta.
November 27th, 1943.

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Corporal J. L. Cousins, of the RCAF at Pearce, spent a two-day leave with his family at Bellevue.

W. L. Carlyle has been elected to the board of directors of the Calgary Exhibition and Stampede, R. W. Ward is the new president.

A heading in an Alberta paper, supposed to read "Save All Japs," appeared "Save All Japs." Just a regrettable typographical error.

Details for a new invasion of Europe were decided upon at a conference of representatives of the United States, Great Britain, Russia and China during the week.

"V"

"Why is the bustle like a historical romance?"

William: "I'll bite."

Both are fictitious tales, based on sterner reality."

"V"

Mr. Smith had been lecturing on prohibition in a neighboring town.

"How did you get on, dear?" asked his wife. "Did you carry your audience with you?"

"No," he replied, "but I could easily have done so. It was small enough."

"V"

An old gentleman of 84, having taken to the altar a young damsel of about 16, the clergyman said: "The font is at the other end of the church."

"What do I want with the font?" asked the old fellow.

"Oh, I beg your pardon," responded the cleric. "I thought you brought this child to be christened."

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Teacher: "Well?"

Pupil: "And the alarm was set for seven."

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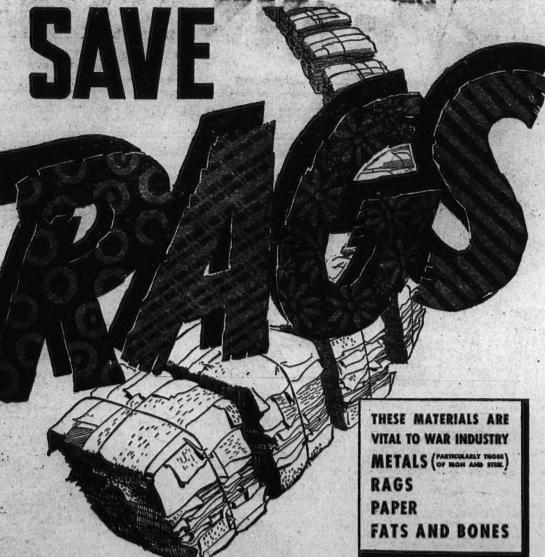
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Department of National War Services
Honourable J. T. Thorsen
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Provincial government employees will have a three-day holiday at Christmas.

J. Krywolt, of Bellevue, is among the latest to enlist in the army from this district.

An unconfirmed report of two inches of snow being seen within six miles of Blairmore was in circulation.

FOR SALE—Grocery and Confectionery stock and fixtures. For particulars apply P. Chardon, Blairmore.

"Granny" Howe celebrated her 75th birthday on Monday, November 29th, and was recipient of many words of congratulation.

Mrs. B. Eddy and Mrs. A. Bouthy, of Beaver Mines, have been hospital patients at Pincher Creek during the past week or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Swager, of Lundbreck, announce the arrival of a son, John Martin, at a Pincher Creek hospital November 12th.

Rev. James McKevey, of Cardston, was guest speaker at Central United church on Sunday evening in the interest of the temperance movement.

An ardent prohibitionist was recently offered a bottle of beer following a lecture. He took it, and probably realized at that time it was a man's privilege.

Local and General Items

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors entertained, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, tea, showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Phone items in to 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.

The lineups at South Alberta Liquor stores on December 1st would have scared Hitler to death.

Pete wants to know which is right, make money easy or make easy money.

Forty thousand pheasants were bagged in the Brooks district during the fifth open season which ended Saturday last.

When Mrs. Julia Chase, of Zion, Ill., was 24 years of age, her doctors gave her one year to live. On December 1st she celebrated her 101st birthday.

The December liquor ration in B.C. is one reputed quart of spirits or three dozen pints of beer, or one gallon of Canadian wine or two bottles of imported wine.

Major C. G. Davidson and Flight Lieutenant R. W. Biggar, officer commanding No. 2 RCAF recruiting centre in Calgary, will visit Blairmore this evening, it is announced.

Sir Charles G. D. Roberts, 83, noted Canadian poet and author, died in Toronto on Friday night last. He was married for the second time last month to 33-year-old Joan Montgomery.

Mrs. Roy Taylor is nurse in charge at the new hospital ward in the Leland building at Pincher Creek.

Among recent enlistments in the army at Calgary were W. A. Landon and D. W. Russell, of Blairmore.

The preliminary meeting on publicity for the Sixth Victory Loan is to be held in Montreal on December the 10th.

The regular monthly meeting of Captain Donald Watson, of Pincher Creek's Nest Chapter, IODE, will be held in the Anglican hall on Tuesday next, December 7th, at 7:30 p.m.

Taxpayers in Britain, who numbered four million in 1939, now number twelve million.

Dick Large was hobbling along on crutches at Fernie last week, having injured a knee.

A truckload of wheat and oats for Sookumchuk, B. C., passed through Blairmore on Monday.

Twenty-five years ago last night, Joe McDougall, of the Home Bank staff at Fernie, was stricken with flu.

John L. Wright and Mrs. Milligan made the rounds of the Blairmore golf course on Sunday night. John got by with twenty strokes.

A party of seven moose hunters, including C. Sartoris and W. Oliver, left at the week end for the north country.

Miss Mary Pinkham, OBE, has been elected president of the women's section of the Southern Alberta Pioneers and Old-Timers' Association.

Word has been received that Captain Donald Watson, of Pincher Creek, artillery officer, has been awarded the Military Medal for bravery.

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